Amendment No. 1 to HB0702

Hulsey Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 193*

House Bill No. 702

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-417(c)(1), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting:

(1) Cocaine, methamphetamine, fentanyl, carfentanil, remifentanil, alfentanil, or thiafentanil is a Class B felony if the amount involved is point five (0.5) grams or more of any substance containing cocaine, methamphetamine, fentanyl, carfentanil, remifentanil, alfentanil, or thiafentanil and, in addition, may be fined not more than one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000); and

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-417(c)(2)(A), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting:

(A) Any other Schedule II controlled substance, including cocaine, methamphetamine, fentanyl, carfentanil, remifentanil, alfentanil, or thiafentanil in an amount of less than point five (0.5) grams, is a Class C felony and, in addition, may be fined not more than one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000); provided, that if the offense involves less than point five (0.5) grams of a controlled substance containing cocaine, methamphetamine, fentanyl, carfentanil, remifentanil, alfentanil, or thiafentanil, but the defendant carried or employed a deadly weapon as defined in § 39-11-106, during commission of the offense or the offense resulted in death or bodily injury to another person, then the offense is a Class B felony.

SECTION 3. This act takes effect July 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it, and applies to offenses committed on or after that date.